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35 40 45

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35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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20 25 30

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35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Cys Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Cys Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Cys Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Cys Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Cys Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Cys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Cys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Cys Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Cys Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Cys
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Cys Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Cys Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Cys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Cys Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Cys Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Cys Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Cys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Cys Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Lys Ser
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Cys Cys Tyr Tyr His Lys Ser
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Cys Tyr His Lys Ser
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Cys His Lys Ser
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
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Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Cys Ser
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Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
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Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Lys Cys
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20 25 30

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35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
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Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Asn Pro Val Val
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Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
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20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Asn Pro Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
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20 25 30

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35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Pro Asn Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
85 90 95

Thr Thr Asp Cys Thr Val Arg Gly Leu Gly Pro Ser Tyr Cys Ser Phe
100 105 110

Gly Glu Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
115 120 125

Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Ser Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
130 135 140

<210> 39
<211> 145
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG beta-subunit residues 101-114 were replaced with their hFSH beta-subunit counterparts, namely hFSH beta-subunit residues 95-108, and Serine38 in the beta-subunit carboxyterminus of this analog was replaced with Cys

<400> 39

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Pro Asn Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
85 90 95

Thr Thr Asp Cys Thr Val Arg Gly Leu Gly Pro Ser Tyr Cys Ser Phe
100 105 110

Gly Glu Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
115 120 125

Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Cys Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
130 135 140

<210> 40
<211> 111
<212> PRT
<213> Homo sapiens

<400> 40

Asn Ser Cys Glu Leu Thr Asn Ile Thr Ile Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly
1 5 10 15

Cys Gly Phe Cys Ile Thr Ile Asn Thr Thr Trp Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys
20 25 30

Tyr Thr Arg Asp Leu Val Tyr Lys Asp Pro Ala Arg Pro Lys Ile Gln
35 40 45

Lys Thr Cys Thr Phe Lys Glu Leu Val Tyr Glu Thr Val Arg Val Pro
50 55 60

Gly Cys Ala His His Ala Asp Ser Leu Tyr Thr Tyr Pro Val Ala Thr
65 70 75 80

Gln Cys His Cys Gly Lys Cys Asp Ser Asp Ser Thr Asp Cys Thr Val
85 90 95

Arg Gly Leu Gly Pro Ser Tyr Cys Ser Phe Gly Glu Met Lys Glu
100 105 110

<210> 41
<211> 139
<212> PRT

<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hFSH beta-subunit analog lacking the leader peptide of hFSH beta-subunit with hFSH residues 1-108 and hCG residues 115-145 in tandem

<400> 41

Asn Ser Cys Glu Leu Thr Asn Ile Thr Ile Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly
1 5 10 15

Cys Gly Phe Cys Ile Thr Ile Asn Thr Thr Trp Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys
20 25 30

Tyr Thr Arg Asp Leu Val Tyr Lys Asp Pro Ala Arg Pro Lys Ile Gln
35 40 45

Lys Thr Cys Thr Phe Lys Glu Leu Val Tyr Glu Thr Val Arg Val Pro
50 55 60

Gly Cys Ala His His Ala Asp Ser Leu Tyr Thr Tyr Pro Val Ala Thr
65 70 75 80

Gln Cys His Cys Gly Lys Cys Asp Ser Asp Ser Thr Asp Cys Thr Val
85 90 95

Arg Gly Leu Gly Pro Ser Tyr Cys Ser Phe Gly Glu Phe Gln Asp Ser
100 105 110

Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu
115 120 125

Pro Gly Pro Ser Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
130 135

<210> 42
<211> 137
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hFSH beta-subunit analog lacking the leader peptide of hFSH beta-subunit with hFSH residues 1-108 and hCG residues 115-145 in tandem and with Ser132 replaced with Cys

<400> 42

Asn Ser Cys Glu Leu Thr Asn Ile Thr Ile Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly
1 5 10 15

Cys Gly Phe Cys Ile Thr Ile Asn Thr Thr Trp Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys
20 25 30

Tyr Thr Arg Asp Leu Val Tyr Lys Asp Pro Ala Arg Pro Lys Ile Gln
35 40 45

Lys Thr Cys Thr Phe Lys Glu Leu Val Tyr Glu Thr Val Arg Val Pro
50 55 60

Gly Cys Ala His His Ala Asp Ser Leu Tyr Thr Tyr Pro Val Ala Thr
65 70 75 80

Gln Cys His Cys Gly Lys Cys Asp Ser Asp Ser Thr Asp Cys Thr Val
85 90 95

Arg Gly Leu Gly Pro Ser Tyr Cys Ser Phe Gly Glu Phe Gln Asp Ser
100 105 110

Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu
115 120 125

Pro Gly Pro Cys Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu
130 135

<210> 43
<211> 401
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCGbeta,S138C-betaLA(short), beta-lactamase fused to a truncated version of hCGbeta,S138C

<400> 43

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Asn Pro Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
85 90 95

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Thr Thr Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
            100                 105                 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
        115                 120                 125

Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Cys Asp His Pro Glu Thr Leu
    130                 135                 140

Val Lys Val Lys Asp Ala Glu Asp Gln Leu Gly Ala Arg Val Gly Tyr
145                 150                 155                 160

Ile Glu Leu Asp Leu Asn Ser Gly Lys Ile Leu Glu Ser Phe Arg Pro
                165                 170                 175

Glu Glu Arg Phe Pro Met Met Ser Thr Phe Lys Val Leu Leu Cys Gly
            180                 185                 190

Ala Val Leu Ser Arg Ile Asp Ala Gly Gln Glu Gln Leu Gly Arg Arg
        195                 200                 205

Ile His Tyr Ser Gln Asn Asp Leu Val Glu Tyr Ser Pro Val Thr Glu
    210                 215                 220

Lys His Leu Thr Asp Gly Met Thr Val Arg Glu Leu Cys Ser Ala Ala
225                 230                 235                 240

Ile Thr Met Ser Asp Asn Thr Ala Ala Asn Leu Leu Leu Thr Thr Ile
                245                 250                 255

Gly Gly Pro Lys Glu Leu Thr Ala Phe Leu His Asn Met Gly Asp His
            260                 265                 270

Val Thr Arg Leu Asp Arg Trp Glu Pro Glu Leu Asn Glu Ala Ile Pro
        275                 280                 285

Asn Glu Arg Asp Thr Thr Met Pro Val Ala Met Ala Thr Thr Leu Arg
    290                 295                 300

Lys Leu Leu Thr Gly Glu Leu Leu Thr Leu Ala Ser Arg Gln Gln Leu
305                 310                 315                 320

Ile Asp Trp Met Glu Ala Asp Lys Val Ala Gly Pro Leu Leu Arg Ser
                325                 330                 335

Ala Leu Pro Ala Gly Trp Phe Ile Ala Asp Lys Ser Gly Ala Gly Glu
            340                 345                 350
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Arg Gly Ser Arg Gly Ile Ile Ala Ala Leu Gly Pro Asp Gly Lys Pro
355 360 365

Ser Arg Ile Val Val Ile Tyr Thr Thr Gly Ser Gln Ala Thr Met Asp
370 375 380

Glu Arg Asn Arg Gln Ile Ala Glu Ile Gly Ala Ser Leu Ile Lys His
385 390 395 400

Trp

<210> 44
<211> 408
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCGbeta,S138C-betaLA(long), beta-lactamase fused to the carboxyterminal end of hCGb,S138C

<400> 44

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Asn Pro Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
85 90 95

Thr Thr Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
100 105 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
115 120 125

Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Cys Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro
130 135 140

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Gln His Pro Glu Thr Leu Val Lys Val Lys Asp Ala Glu Asp Gln Leu
145                 150                 155                 160

Gly Ala Arg Val Gly Tyr Ile Glu Leu Asp Leu Asn Ser Gly Lys Ile
                165                 170                 175

Leu Glu Ser Phe Arg Pro Glu Glu Arg Phe Pro Met Met Ser Thr Phe
            180                 185                 190

Lys Val Leu Leu Cys Gly Ala Val Leu Ser Arg Ile Asp Ala Gly Gln
        195                 200                 205

Glu Gln Leu Gly Arg Arg Ile His Tyr Ser Gln Asn Asp Leu Val Glu
    210                 215                 220

Tyr Ser Pro Val Thr Glu Lys His Leu Thr Asp Gly Met Thr Val Arg
225                 230                 235                 240

Glu Leu Cys Ser Ala Ala Ile Thr Met Ser Asp Asn Thr Ala Ala Asn
                245                 250                 255

Leu Leu Leu Thr Thr Ile Gly Gly Pro Lys Glu Leu Thr Ala Phe Leu
            260                 265                 270

His Asn Met Gly Asp His Val Thr Arg Leu Asp Arg Trp Glu Pro Glu
        275                 280                 285

Leu Asn Glu Ala Ile Pro Asn Asp Glu Arg Asp Thr Thr Met Pro Val
    290                 295                 300

Ala Met Ala Thr Thr Leu Arg Lys Leu Leu Thr Gly Glu Leu Leu Thr
305                 310                 315                 320

Leu Ala Ser Arg Gln Gln Leu Ile Asp Trp Met Glu Ala Asp Lys Val
                325                 330                 335

Ala Gly Pro Leu Leu Arg Ser Ala Leu Pro Ala Gly Trp Phe Ile Ala
            340                 345                 350

Asp Lys Ser Gly Ala Gly Glu Arg Gly Ser Arg Gly Ile Ile Ala Ala
        355                 360                 365

Leu Gly Pro Asp Gly Lys Pro Ser Arg Ile Val Val Ile Tyr Thr Thr
    370                 375                 380

Gly Ser Gln Ala Thr Met Asp Glu Arg Asn Arg Gln Ile Ala Glu Ile
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385 390 395 400

Gly Ala Ser Leu Ile Lys His Trp
405

<210> 45
<211> 125
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCGbeta,delta116-135,S138C

<400> 45

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Asn Pro Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
85 90 95

Thr Thr Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
100 105 110

Pro Arg Phe Gly Pro Cys Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
115 120

<210> 46
<211> 130
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCGbeta,delta121-135,S138C

<400> 46

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Asn Pro Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
85 90 95

Thr Thr Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
100 105 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Gly Pro Cys Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu
115 120 125

Pro Gln

<210> 47
<211> 136
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCGbeta,delta126-135,S138C

<400> 47

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Asn Pro Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser

85 90 95

Thr Thr Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
100 105 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Gly Pro
115 120 125

Cys Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
130 135

<210> 48
<211> 140
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCGbeta,delta131-135,S138C

<400> 48

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Asn Pro Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
85 90 95

Thr Thr Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
100 105 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
115 120 125

Pro Ser Gly Pro Cys Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
130 135

<210> 49
<211> 92

<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG alpha-subunit, Lys91 replaced with Glu

<400> 49

Ala Pro Asp Val Gln Asp Cys Pro Glu Cys Thr Leu Gln Glu Asn Pro
1 5 10 15

Phe Phe Ser Gln Pro Gly Ala Pro Ile Leu Gln Cys Met Gly Cys Cys
20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Glu Ser
85 90

<210> 50
<211> 92
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG alpha-subunit loop 2, Lys91 replaced with Met

<400> 50

Ala Pro Asp Val Gln Asp Cys Pro Glu Cys Thr Leu Gln Glu Asn Pro
1 5 10 15

Phe Phe Ser Gln Pro Gly Ala Pro Ile Leu Gln Cys Met Gly Cys Cys
20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Met Ser

85 90

<210> 51
<211> 92
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG alpha-subunit loop 2, Lys44 replaced with Ala

<400> 51

Ala Pro Asp Val Gln Asp Cys Pro Glu Cys Thr Leu Gln Glu Asn Pro
1 5 10 15

Phe Phe Ser Gln Pro Gly Ala Pro Ile Leu Gln Cys Met Gly Cys Cys
20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Ala Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Lys Ser
85 90

<210> 52
<211> 92
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<220>
<223> hCG alpha-subunit loop 2, Lys44 replaced with Glu and Lys45 replaced with Gln

<400> 52

Ala Pro Asp Val Gln Asp Cys Pro Glu Cys Thr Leu Gln Glu Asn Pro
1 5 10 15

Phe Phe Ser Gln Pro Gly Ala Pro Ile Leu Gln Cys Met Gly Cys Cys
20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Glu Gln Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Lys Ser
85 90

<210> 53
<211> 92
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG alpha-subunit loop 2, Lys44 replaced with Arg

<400> 53

Ala Pro Asp Val Gln Asp Cys Pro Glu Cys Thr Leu Gln Glu Asn Pro
1 5 10 15

Phe Phe Ser Gln Pro Gly Ala Pro Ile Leu Gln Cys Met Gly Cys Cys
20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Arg Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Lys Ser
85 90

<210> 54
<211> 139
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG analog - beta101-145,alpha, residues 3-100 deleted from hCG beta-subunit with alpha-subunit fused to the end of the remaining beta-subunit

<400> 54

Ser Lys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp Pro Arg
1 5 10 15

Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu Pro Ser
20 25 30

Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Ser Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln Ala
35 40 45

Pro Asp Val Gln Asp Cys Pro Glu Cys Thr Leu Gln Glu Asn Pro Phe
50 55 60

Phe Ser Gln Pro Gly Ala Pro Ile Leu Gln Cys Met Gly Cys Cys Phe
65 70 75 80

Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu Val
85 90 95

Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser Tyr
100 105 110

Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr Ala
115 120 125

Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Lys Ser
130 135

<210> 55
<211> 31
<212> PRT
<213> Homo sapiens

<400> 55

Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu Pro Ser
1 5 10 15

Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Ser Thr Asp Pro Ile Leu Pro Gly
20 25 30

<210> 56
<211> 10
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> Xl-Asp-Asp-Asp-Asp-Lys-Ser-Ym-Cys-Zn, where X, Y, and Z refer to any tail portion amino acids and l, m, and n refer to the lengths of the tail portion amino acids

<220>
<221> MISC_FEATURE
<223> Xaa refers to any tail portion amino acids and n refers to the lengths of the tail portion amino acids

<400> 56

Xaa_n Asp Asp Asp Asp Lys Ser Xaa_n Cys Xaa_n

1 5 10

<210> 57
<211> 92
<212> PRT
<213> Artifical Sequence

<220>
<223> An hCG truncated β-subunit analog fused to the hCG alpha-carboxyterminus

<400> 57

Ala Pro Asp Val Gln Asp Cys Pro Glu Cys Thr Leu Gln Glu Asn Pro
1 5 10 15

Phe Phe Ser Gln Pro Gly Ala Pro Ile Leu Gln Cys Met Gly Cys Cys
20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Lys Ser Asp Asp Pro Arg
85 90 95

Phe Gly Pro Cys Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
100 105

<210> 58
<211> 145
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG beta-subunit with Cys substituted for Arg94

<400> 58

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

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Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Pro Asn Val Val
65                  70                  75                  80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Cys Arg Ser
                85                  90                  95

Thr Thr Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
            100                 105                 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
        115                 120                 125

Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Ser Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
    130                 135                 140
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<210> 59
<211> 145
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG beta-subunit with Cys substituted for Arg95

<400> 59

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Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1               5                   10                  15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
            20                  25                  30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
        35                  40                  45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
    50                  55                  60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Pro Asn Val Val
65                  70                  75                  80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Cys Ser
                85                  90                  95

Thr Thr Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
            100                 105                 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
        115                 120                 125
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Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Ser Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
130 135 140

<210> 60
<211> 145
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG beta-subunit with Cys substituted for Ser96

<400> 60

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Pro Asn Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Cys
85 90 95

Thr Thr Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
100 105 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
115 120 125

Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Ser Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
130 135 140

<210> 61
<211> 145
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG beta-subunit with Cys substituted for Thr97

<400> 61

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Pro Asn Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
85 90 95

Cys Thr Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
100 105 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
115 120 125

Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Ser Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
130 135 140

<210> 62
<211> 145
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG beta-subunit with Cys substituted for Thr98

<400> 62

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Pro Asn Val Val

65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
85 90 95

Thr Cys Asp Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
100 105 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
115 120 125

Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Ser Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
130 135 140

<210> 63
<211> 145
<212> PRT
<213> Artificial Sequence

<220>
<223> hCG beta-subunit with Cys substituted for Asp99

<400> 63

Ser Lys Glu Pro Leu Arg Pro Arg Cys Arg Pro Ile Asn Ala Thr Leu
1 5 10 15

Ala Val Glu Lys Glu Gly Cys Pro Val Cys Ile Thr Val Asn Thr Thr
20 25 30

Ile Cys Ala Gly Tyr Cys Pro Thr Met Thr Arg Val Leu Gln Gly Val
35 40 45

Leu Pro Ala Leu Pro Gln Val Val Cys Asn Tyr Arg Asp Val Arg Phe
50 55 60

Glu Ser Ile Arg Leu Pro Gly Cys Pro Arg Gly Val Pro Asn Val Val
65 70 75 80

Ser Tyr Ala Val Ala Leu Ser Cys Gln Cys Ala Leu Cys Arg Arg Ser
85 90 95

Thr Thr Cys Cys Gly Gly Pro Lys Asp His Pro Leu Thr Cys Asp Asp
100 105 110

Pro Arg Phe Gln Asp Ser Ser Ser Ser Lys Ala Pro Pro Pro Ser Leu
115 120 125

Pro Ser Pro Ser Arg Leu Pro Gly Pro Ser Asp Thr Pro Ile Leu Pro Gln
130 135 140

<210> 64
<211> 95
<212> PRT
<213> Artifical Sequence

<220>
<223> An hCG alpha-subunit analog with Gly-Gly-Cys at its carboxyterminus

<400> 64

Ala Pro Asp Val Gln Asp Cys Pro Glu Cys Thr Leu Gln Glu Asn Pro
1 5 10 15

Phe Phe Ser Gln Pro Gly Ala Pro Ile Leu Gln Cys Met Gly Cys Cys
20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asn Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Lys Ser Gly Gly Cys
86 90 95

<210> 65
<211> 92
<212> PRT
<213> Artifical Sequence

<220>
<223> An hCG alpha-subunit analog with Asp in place of Asn52 and Cys in place of Ser92

<400> 65

Ala Pro Asp Val Gln Asp Cys Pro Glu Cys Thr Leu Gln Glu Asn Pro
1 5 10 15

Phe Phe Ser Gln Pro Gly Ala Pro Ile Leu Gln Cys Met Gly Cys Cys
20 25 30

Phe Ser Arg Ala Tyr Pro Thr Pro Leu Arg Ser Lys Lys Thr Met Leu
35 40 45

Val Gln Lys Asp Val Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Cys Cys Val Ala Lys Ser
50 55 60

Tyr Asn Arg Val Thr Val Met Gly Gly Phe Lys Val Glu Asn His Thr
65 70 75 80

Ala Cys His Cys Ser Thr Cys Tyr Tyr His Lys Ser
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